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Subj: Refund for Deposit Account No. 501,470

Application #: 09971894

Dear Ms. Sims:

My name is Richard L. Bigelow and my registration number is 46,038.

My deposit account (501,470) was debited in error in October 2001. Please see attached fax from Farra Khan.

Please issue a refund of \$556.00 to account number 501,470 to remedy this error along with an additional refund of ~~\$250.00~~ to remedy the service charges that were assessed my account for having the balance under \$1,000.

Total: \$581.00

suppose TO BE \$25.00 NOT \$250.00

Please contact me at 860-667-4263 or via e-mail at rlbpatent@aol.com if you have any questions.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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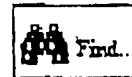
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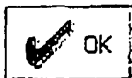
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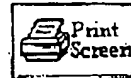
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Richard You are right, they did charge the
the wrong D/account. They should have charge
D/A # 50-1407 not 50-1470. What you need to
do now is fax in a letter asking for a Refund along
with this Int 1 am sending you to show.
Refunds Fax # 703-308-5077 (Latrice Sims)

IF THERE ARE ANY PROBLEMS WITH THIS TRANSMISSION, PLEASE CALL:

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01/22569	CLASS	SUBCLASS	J. Fredman	1655

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This is a request for filing a ☒ continuation ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior application Serial Number 09/472,035, filed on December 27, 1999 entitled **ABUNDANT, WELL DISTRIBUTED AND HYPERPOLYMORPHIC SIMPLE SEQUENCE REPEATS IN PROKARYOTE GENOMES AND USE OF SAME FOR PROKARYOTE CLASSIFICATION AND TYPING**

CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.10(c))		36 - 20 =	16	X \$18 = 288	\$ 288
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))		4 - 3 =	1	X \$84 = 84	\$ 84
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.10(m))				X \$ =	
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))	\$ 740
				Total of above Calculations =	\$ 1,112
				Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.27)	\$ 556
				Total =	\$ 556

1. ☐ Enclosed are the specification, claims and drawing(s). OR
1. ☒ Enclosed is a copy of the specification (except that the Background Section on Page 1 references the fact that this is a Divisional Application), claims, drawings and Declaration are as originally filed in Application S/N 09/472,035.
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
3. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1407. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
4. ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.
5. ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet is enclosed. See 37 CFR 1.76.
7. ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This application is a ☐ continuation ☒ division of application number 09/472,035, filed December 27, 1999."

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is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d).☐ The certified copy is enclosed.10. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.11. ☒ Also enclosed: Power of Attorney

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under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
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